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SUBJ: PAROLE OF VIETNAMESE DIPLOMATS - BUI VAN ANH

REF: A) STATE 121541; B) STATE 115885

1. FORMER SVNAMESE AMBASSADOR TO BERN, BUI VAN ANH, APPEARED AT EMBASSY JUNE 9 AND SUBMITTED OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION ADDRESSED TO HIM BY SWISS FEDERAL DEPT OF JUSTICE AND POLICE (FDJP). STATEMENT BY FDJP REFERS TO HIS REQUEST FOR POLITICAL ASYLUM AND CITES SEVERAL PERTINENT REGULATIONS WHEREBY SWISS CAN REFUSE POLITICAL ASYLUM. ONE BASIS IS PERSONAL TIES IN A THIRD COUNTRY (SET FORTH IN PARA 2 OF FDJP COMMUNICATION).

2. AFTER DETAILED REVIEW OF BUI FAMILY'S PERSONAL SITUATION, COMMUNICATION CONCLUDES QUOTE IN VIEW OF THE FOREGOING, WE CONSIDER THE CONDITIONS CITED IN PARAGRAPH 2 OF THIS LETTER AS BEING FULFILLED AND THEREFORE REFUSE YOUR REQUEST FOR ASYLUM UNQUOTE.

3. TODAY EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION FROM UNHCR, DIRECTOR OF ASSISTANCE, WHICH SETS FORTH UNHCR POLICY FOR RESETTLEMENT OF SVN REFUGEES IN COUNTRIES OTHER THAN U.S. BUT CONCLUDES THAT U.S. IS PREFERRED COUNTRY OF RESETTLEMENT IN BUI CASE. UNHCR REQUESTS ADMISSION FOR BUI FAMILY TO US. UNDER PAROLE  
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PROCEDURE.

4. IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARA 3 REF. A AND 2 FAM 228.4-5

FOLLOWING INFO IS SUBMITTED:

MR. BUI VAN ANH, OCT. 20, 1930 RACHGIA SNV, FORMER DIPLOMAT

NO PRESENT OCCUPATION

MRS. BUI VAN ANH, MAIDEN NAME [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 29 AUG 2013], NOV. 11, 1935

RACHGIA SVN, HOUSEWIFE

MRS. NGUYEN HI CHAN, 1910 RACHGIA SNV, MOTHER OF MR.

BUI VAN ANH

MISS BUI ANH TUYET, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 29 AUG 2013], RACHGIA SVN, DAUGHTER,  
STUDENT AT UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

MISS BUI ANH TRONG, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 29 AUG 2013] SAIGON SVN, DAUGHTER,  
STUDENT AT USIU, EVIAN, FRANCE

MISS BUI THANH MAI, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 29 AUG 2013] SAIGON SVN, DAUGHTER,  
STUDENT AT USIU, EVIAN, FRANCE

MR. BUI MINH ANH, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 29 AUG 2013] CAM THO SVN, SON, STUDENT  
IN LONDON

BUI MINH KANH, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 29 AUG 2013] CAM THO SVN, SON, STUDENT  
AT AMERICAN SCHOOL TAIPEI, TAIWAN

BUI MINH TRUNG, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 29 AUG 2013] CAM THO SVN, SON, STUDENT  
AT ENGLISH SPEAKING SCHOOL BERN, SWITZERLAND

BUI MINH CHAN, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 29 AUG 2013], SAIGON SVN, SON, STUDENT  
AT ENGLISH SPEAKING SCHOOL BERN, SWITZERLAND

KHUN THI LICH, [Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 29 AUG 2013] RACHGIA SVN, NIECE, MEMBER  
OF HOUSEHOLD

ALL ARE BEARERS OF SVN DIPLOMATIC PPTS. NO KNOWN CRIMINAL  
CHARGES OR COMMUNIST PARTY AFFILIATION.

5. COMMENT: AS REPORTED IN BERN 2005, BUI FAMILY TRAVELLED  
TO PARIS AREA IN MID-MAY. EMBASSY PARIS, AFTER RECEIVING  
CLARIFYING INSTRUCTION CONTAINED IN REF. A, APPROPRIATELY  
INFORMED BUI THAT NO REQUEST FOR PAROLE COULD BE CONSIDERED  
UNLESS SWISS REFUSED HIM ASYLUM. BUI SURPRISINGLY HAS  
OBTAINED A VERY SUCCINCT STATEMENT IN THAT REGARD FROM THE  
APPROPRIATE SWISS FEDERAL AGENCY CHARGED WITH REVIEWING  
REQUESTS FOR ASYLUM. BUI HAS SUFFICIENT FINANCIAL RESOURCES  
TO ENTER U.S. WITHOUT PASSING THROUGH INS RECEPTION CENTER.  
VISAS FALCON PROCEDURES HAVE BEEN INITIATED THIS DATE.

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6. PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER BUI FAMILY IS ELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE.  
COPIES OF SWISS AND UNHCR COMMUNICATIONS BEING POUCHED TO  
DEPT.  
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